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Speaker McCarthy, Leader Scalise, Whip Emmer, Chairwoman Stefanik and Chairman Arrington:

reconciliation package last Congress due to concerns that the increased spending and economy, exacerbate inflation and cost American jobs. Further, the new, restrictive labor policies included in the law make the IRA even more damaging to the thousands of U.S. small businesses in the construction industry.

The IRA's modification of several clean energy and energy efficiency incentives provides two different tax credit values: a base rate and an alternative or bonus rate. The bonus rate equals five times the base rate and applies to projects that meet both prevailing wage and apprenticeship requirements. ABC believes this new bonus credit

